Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1-27. (Canceled).

28. (Canceled).

29. (Currently Amended). The process of Claim 46 ~~28~~, wherein the gene construct is expressed in an E. coli cell.

30 – 39. (Canceled).

40. (Canceled).

41-45. (Canceled).

46. (Currently Amended). A process for preparing a pharmacologically active compound, which comprises:

(a) selecting from a peptide phage display library at least one nucleic acid sequence encoding a peptide ~~sequence~~ that modulates the activity of AGP-3, wherein "peptide" refers to molecules of 2 to 40 amino acids;

(b) preparing a gene construct that comprises ~~compound incorporating~~ at least one said selected ~~peptide~~ sequence;

(c) expressing a pharmacologically active compound from the gene construct, wherein the gene construct encodes a compound of ~~has~~ the formula

$$(X^1)_a\text{-}F^1\text{-}(X^2)_b$$

and multimers thereof, wherein:

F^1 is an Fc domain;

X^1 and X^2 are each independently selected from $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1$, $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2$, $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2\text{-}(L^3)_e\text{-}P^3$, and $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2\text{-}(L^3)_e\text{-}P^3\text{-}(L^4)_f\text{-}P^4$;

P^1, P^2, P^3, and P^4 are each independently encoded by the selected ~~peptide~~ sequences;

L^1, L^2, L^3, and L^4 are each independently linkers; and

a, b, c, d, e, and f are each independently 0 or 1, provided that at least one of a and b is 1.

~~wherein "peptide" refers to molecules of 2 to 40 amino acids.~~

47. (Original). The process of Claim 46, wherein the compound prepared is of the formulae

$$X^1\text{-}F^1$$

or

$$F^1\text{-}X^2.$$

48. (Original). The process of Claim 46, wherein the compound prepared is of the formulae

$$F^1\text{-}(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1$$

or

$$F^1\text{-}(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2.$$

49. (Original). The process of Claim 46, wherein F^1 is an IgG Fc domain.

50. (Original). The process of Claim 46, wherein F^1 is an IgG1 Fc domain.

51. (Original). The process of Claim 46, wherein F^1 comprises the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2.

Claims 52-62 (Canceled).

63. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 46 wherein a is 1 and b is 0.

64. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 46 wherein X^1 is $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2$.

65. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 63 wherein X^1 is $-(L^1)_c\text{-}P^1\text{-}(L^2)_d\text{-}P^2$.

66. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 65 wherein L^1 is $(Gly)_5$.

67. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 65 wherein L^2 is $(Gly)_5$.

68. (Previously Presented). The process of Claim 66 wherein L^2 is $(Gly)_5$.

69-79. (Canceled).